

STATE OF NEW YORK
LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY
BUFFALO, N.Y., JANUARY 19TH, 2023, A.D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 19th day of January 2023 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:

**Honoring the Kiwanis Club of Holland
during World Kiwanis Week**

WHEREAS, The Erie County Legislature seeks to honor individuals and institutions in Erie County who enhance the quality of life in the community through their efforts; and

WHEREAS, the week of January 21 through January 26, 2023, is designated as *World Kiwanis Week*; and

WHEREAS, *Kiwanis International* is a global community of clubs dedicated to improving the lives of children with over 550,000 members in 80 countries across the globe which raises nearly 100 million dollars every year; and

WHEREAS, service is at the heart of every *Kiwanis* club, no matter where in the world it is located and the six permanent Objects of *Kiwanis* guide the organization to promote generosity and human decency; and

WHEREAS, *Kiwanis International* empowers its members to seek creative ways to serve the needs of children in their communities in order to fight hunger, increase literacy, and improve their community one child at a time; and

WHEREAS, the *Kiwanis Club of Holland*, in addition to their efforts to support youth through fundraising, community events, and running the beloved Tulip Festival, also partners with *Aktion Club* to empower adult citizens who live with disabilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize, *January 21 through January 26, 2023* as *World Kiwanis Week* and to honor the *Kiwanis Club of Holland* for its invaluable commitment to the youth in our community.

JAMES MALCZEWSKI

Erie County Legislator, District 10